



THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 2281**  
Junichi MIYAZAKI et al. : Docket No. 2002-0053A  
Serial No. 10/031,396 : Group Art Unit 1648  
Filed February 22, 2002 : Examiner Myron G. HILL  
A METHOD FOR CONSTRUCTING : **Mail Stop: AF**  
RECOMBINANT ADENOVIRUS VECTOR

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**AFTER FINAL AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the final Office Action dated January 26, 2005, the period for response having been extended for three months by the attached Petition and a Notice of Appeal, Applicants herein provide the following amendments and remarks.

**RESPONSE UNDER 37. CFR 1.116**  
**EXPEDITED PROCEDURE**  
**EXAMINING GROUP 1648**

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT  
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975